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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the application of:

Nathan J. Litke, et al.

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For:

METHOD OF TRIMMING A

REPRESENTATION OF AN OBJECT SURFACE COMPRISING A MESH OF TESSELATED POLYGONS AND

RELATED SYSTEM

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed December 23, 2003, kindly amend the subject application as follows:

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.

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